

## Objective

*Minimize disposal of sharps waste as household waste*

## What are Home Generated Sharps?

- ▶ Syringes
- ▶ Hypodermic needles
- ▶ Lancets
- ▶ Other sharp objects generated for medical reasons



## Sharps Waste not Accepted from:

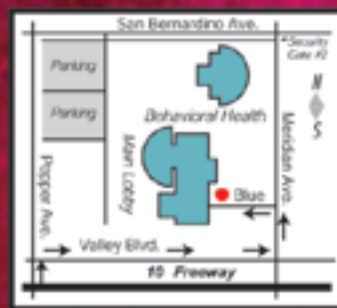
- ▶ Clinics
- ▶ Medical Offices
- ▶ Dental Offices

*Sharps must be in proper containers*

## Acceptable Containers to Use



- ▶ Approved sharps container with biohazard label preferred.
- ▶ Rigid plastic container with tight fitting lid, secured with tape.



## Location of Disposal Area

Receiving dock (back of Hospital) at Arrowhead Regional Medical Center. Enter off Meridian Avenue. Follow posted signs to disposal area.

**Drop-Off Time** Every Wednesday 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.